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IEC 60143	NOTE	Harmonized in the EN 60143 series (not modified).
IEC 60252	NOTE	Harmonized in the EN 60252 series (not modified).
IEC 60273	NOTE	Harmonized as HD 578 S1:1992 (not modified).
IEC 60358	NOTE	Harmonized as HD 597 S1:1992 (not modified).
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IEC 60931	NOTE	Harmonized in the EN 60931 series (not modified).
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IEC 61048	NOTE	Harmonized as EN 61048:1993 (modified).
IEC 61049	NOTE	Harmonized as EN 61049:1993 (modified).
IEC 61071	NOTE	Harmonized in the EN 61071 series (modified).
IEC 61270-1	NOTE	Harmonized as EN 61270-1:1996 (not modified).

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Normative references to international publications with their corresponding European publications

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<u>Publication</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>EN/HD</u>	<u>Year</u>
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IEC 60071-1	1993	Insulation co-ordination Part 1: Definitions, principles and rules	EN 60071-1	1995
IEC 60071-2	1996	Part 2: Application guide	EN 60071-2	1997
IEC 60099 (mod)	series	Surge arresters	EN 60099	series
IEC 60549	1976	High-voltage fuses for the external protection of shunt power capacitors	-	-
IEC 60815	1986	Guide for the selection of insulators in respect of polluted conditions	-	-
IEC 60871-2	1999	Shunt capacitors for a.c. power systems having a rated voltage above 1kV Part 2: Endurance testing	-	-
IEC 60871-4	1996	Part 4: Internal fuses	EN 60871-4	1996

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**Part 1:
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HAVING A RATED VOLTAGE ABOVE 1 000 V –**
Part 1: General

FOREWORD

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The text of this standard is based on the following documents:

FDIS	Report on voting
33/411/FDIS	33/419/RVD

Full information on the voting for the approval of this standard can be found in the report on voting indicated in the above table.

This publication has been drafted in accordance with the ISO/IEC Directives, Part 2.

IEC 60871 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Shunt capacitors for a.c. power systems having a rated voltage above 1 000 V*

- Part 1 General
- Part 2 Endurance testing
- Part 3 Protection of shunt capacitors and shunt capacitor banks
- Part 4 Internal fuses

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SHUNT CAPACITORS FOR AC POWER SYSTEMS HAVING A RATED VOLTAGE ABOVE 1 000 V –

Part 1: General

1 Scope and object

This part of IEC 60871 is applicable to both capacitor units and capacitor banks intended to be used, particularly, for power-factor correction of a.c. power systems having a rated voltage above 1 000 V and frequencies of 15 Hz to 60 Hz.

This part of IEC 60871 also applies to capacitors intended for use in power filter circuits. Additional definitions, requirements and tests for filter capacitors are given in Annex B.

Additional requirements for capacitors protected by internal fuses as well as requirements for the internal fuses are given in IEC 60871-4.

Requirements for capacitors to be protected by external fuses, as well as requirements for the same, are given in Annex C.

This standard does not apply to capacitors of the self-healing metallized dielectric type.

The following capacitors are excluded from this part of IEC 60871:

- capacitors for inductive heat-generating plants operating at frequencies between 40 Hz and 24 000 Hz (IEC 60110-1);
- series capacitors for power systems (see the IEC 60143 series);
- capacitors for motor applications and the like (see the IEC 60252 series);
- coupling capacitors and capacitor dividers (IEC 60358);
- shunt capacitors for a.c. power systems having rated voltage up to and including 1 000 V (see the IEC 60831 and IEC 60931 series);
- small a.c. capacitors to be used for fluorescent and discharge lamps (IEC 61048 and IEC 61049);
- capacitors to be used in power electronic circuits (IEC 61071);
- capacitors for microwave ovens (IEC 61270-1);
- capacitors for suppression of radio interference;
- capacitors intended for use with d.c. voltage superimposed on a.c. voltage.

Accessories such as insulators, switches, instrument transformers, external fuses, etc. are in accordance with the relevant IEC standards.

The object of this part of IEC 60871 is as follows:

- a) to formulate uniform rules regarding the performance and rating of units and banks, and the testing of units ;
- b) to formulate specific safety rules;
- c) to provide a guide for installation and operation.

2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

IEC 60060-1:1989, *High-voltage test techniques – Part 1: General definitions and test requirements*

IEC 60071-1:1993, *Insulation co-ordination – Part 1: Definitions, principles and rules*

IEC 60071-2:1996, *Insulation co-ordination – Part 2: Application guide*

IEC 60099 (all parts), *Surge arresters*

IEC 60549:1976, *High-voltage fuses for the external protection of shunt power capacitors*

IEC 60815:1986, *Guide for the selection of insulators in respect of polluted conditions*

IEC 60871-2:1999, *Shunt capacitors for a.c. power systems having a rated voltage above 1 000 V – Part 2: Endurance testing*

IEC 60871-4:1996, *Shunt capacitors for a.c. power systems having a rated voltage above 1 000 V – Part 4: Internal fuses*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following definitions apply.

3.1

capacitor element

element

device consisting essentially of two electrodes separated by a dielectric

[IEV 436-01-03]

3.2

capacitor unit

unit

assembly of one or more capacitor elements in the same container with terminals brought out

[IEV 436-01-04]

3.3

capacitor bank

bank

number of capacitor units connected so as to act together

[IEV 436-01-06]

3.4

capacitor

in this part of IEC 60871, the word "capacitor" is used when it is not necessary to lay particular stress upon the different meanings of the words capacitor unit or capacitor bank

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3.5**capacitor installation**

one or more capacitor banks and their accessories

[IEV 436-01-07]

3.6**discharge device of a capacitor**

device which may be incorporated in a capacitor, capable of reducing the voltage between the terminals practically to zero, within a given time, after the capacitor has been disconnected from a network

[IEV 436-03-15, modified]

3.7**internal fuse of a capacitor**

fuse connected inside a capacitor unit, in series with an element or a group of elements

[IEV 436-03-16]

3.8**line terminal**

terminal intended for connection to a line conductor of a network

[IEV 436-03-01]

NOTE In polyphase capacitors, a terminal intended to be connected to the neutral conductor is not considered to be a line terminal.

3.9**rated capacitance of a capacitor**

C_N

capacitance value derived from the values of rated output, voltage and frequency of the capacitor

[IEV 436-01-12]

3.10**rated output of a capacitor**

Q_N

reactive power for which the capacitor has been designed

[IEV 436-01-16]

3.11**rated voltage of a capacitor**

U_N

r.m.s. value of the alternating voltage for which the capacitor has been designed

[IEV 436-01-15]

NOTE In the case of capacitors consisting of one or more separate circuits (for example single-phase units intended for use in polyphase connection, or polyphase units with separate circuits), U_N refers to the rated voltage of each circuit.

For polyphase capacitors with internal electrical connections between the phases, and for polyphase capacitor banks, U_N refers to the phase-to-phase voltage.

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